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For: ANTINEOPLASTIC CONJUGATES)
 OF TRANSFERRIN, ALBUMIN)
 AND POLYETHYLENE GLYCOL)

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1-6 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please add new claims 7-14 as follows.

7. (New) A conjugate of a cytostatic compound and transferrin or albumin or a polyethylene glycol, wherein: